

GRIEF-STRICKEN BECAUSE OF HIS INFIRMITY, BOY SUICIDES

BIG CROWD GREETSTHE MINSTRELS

Palace Theatre Crowded to the Doors Last Night, the Auditors Witnessing a Stellar Performance On the Part of Home Talent

STARDOM IS APPROACHED

Days of Primrose And West Find Revivication—Music And Fun Supreme, And Under the Capable Direction of Johnny Jenkins, Moves Smoothly

Minstrelsy visualization as depicted by the Elks Minstrels, assisted by among the premier musical talent of the borough and community, vocalists and instrumentalists, found favor with auditors who filled every nook and corner of the commodious Palace theatre last night, the first of a series of three nights' entertainment. Applause from time of rising of the curtain for the ensemble until the closing farce, was spontaneous in appreciation, and left no room for doubt that minstrelsy in CharleROI meets popular approval.

The days of Primrose and West found revivication last night in CharleROI. And that local talent did themselves proud, approached professional stardom, goes without saying. Minstrelsy had a "red-letter" occasion in the borough last night.

Under the capable direction of Johnny Jenkins, the orchestral numbers were of the classical, and attuned with the clock-like precision of the various numbers, and the ensemble chorus. Roland W. Brown as interlocutor well interpreted this difficult role and left little to be desired. Fred Kyle and Fred W. Brady as the premier end men were irrepressibly funny, and their honors were shared by William Ludwig, Jay Reeves, Charles Ludwig and L. Bailey.

The soloists carried out their part of the program to a state of perfection seldom achieved by semi-professionals. The contingent consisted of Mrs. Mabel Clarke, C. Warren Kinder, Mrs. Eleanor Harris, and Walter Stroud, and they were well supported by the chorus, which showed admirable degree of training.

One of the features were the Dancing Bell Hops, consisted in the personnel of Misses Margaret Carroll, Estelle Carroll, Kathryn Goldsmith, Hortense Greenberg, Louise Greenberg, Mary Mogan.

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FOURTEEN HOUSES BURNED TO GROUND

Last night 14 houses were burned to the ground at the mining town of Arden, near Washington, and as many families are rendered homeless, forced to seek shelter in the residences of their friends and neighbors, and their household effects, not destroyed, thrown about on the muddy hillside.

It is believed that the total loss will exceed \$20,000, though information could not be obtained of the loss of the Meadowlands Coal Company, account of the superintendent being at the time in Crafton.

Dynamite was used in an attempt to check the flames as they spread from one house to another, but the results were not all that could be hoped for. The Washington Fire department responded to the call, but their efforts were barren of direct results.

Only two dwellings in the two rows were saved. This was due to George Chacko, who persuaded the dynamiters to blow up the houses right next to them before they caught fire. This left gaps at the top of the row over which the flames could not leap.

Less than two hours after the flames started in the houses occupied by...

Field Meet And Camp For The Scouts Is Likely

Plans to hold a field and track meet at College Field during the summer for Boy Scouts and for the annual summer camp, were launched at a meeting of the Scoutmaster Charles M. Ewing, of South College street, Washington.

Al Crook, popular W. & J. college football star, who qualified as a first-class scout as a member of a Detroit troop, will be in charge of the program to be arranged for the track and field meet. It is hoped to make the annual summer camp this year the largest and best that has yet been held by Washington council.

There was a general discussion of "The Boy and What Must Be Done for Him," which was opened by Scoutmaster Ewing. Those present at the meeting follow: Scoutmaster Russell Enoch, Headquarters troop; Scoutmaster G. F. Sharp, Troop No. 2, Second United Presbyterian church; Scoutmaster H. G. Steed, Troop No. 9, First Christian church; Scoutmaster Howard R. Smith, Troop No. 10, Second Presbyterian church; and Scoutmaster A. O. Miller, Troop No. 16, Trinity Episcopal church. Scout committee present were: A. B. C. Patton and Frank Busbey, of Troop No. 2, and W. J. Knox and Harry F. Moore, of Troop No. 10.

Alleged Payroll Bandit Finally Identified As Tarso Burchianti

The bandit captured in connection with the attempted robbery of the P. V. and C. train carrying the \$400,000 payroll of the Clairton plant of the Carnegie Steel Company, is Tarso Burchianti, leader of a gang of bandits being sought throughout the state for a series of murders and daring payroll robberies, police declare.

The prisoner also is charged with participating in the \$72,000 payroll robbery and murder on the Laurel Line railways, near Scranton, July 30, 1923. A passenger on the interurban line was shot to death in the holdup. The paymaster and motorman of the car were wounded.

The identification of the prisoner was made Saturday at the county jail by F. A. Hershey, deputy sheriff of Westmoreland county and a former Bertillon officer of Troop A, state police, at Greensburg. Hershey identified the bandit as the man he had photographed and fingerprinted a year ago in connection with the robbery of a New Castle bank.

Burchianti, according to Chief of County Detectives Robert Braun, lives in Millsboro, ashington county, but also is a familiar figure in Fredericktown and other mining hamlets in Washington county. He is also alleged to have participated in a score of daring payroll robberies throughout the Washington district including the holdup of the street car at Eldora.

Following the Laurel Line holdup and murder Burchianti vanished. A search of his haunts failed to reveal any trace of him. Later, relatives produced letters showing he was living in Italy. The other members of the gang, said to number 12, also vanished. None of them have been apprehended.

Miss Nelle Acton, of the Meltz-Acton company, "Petit Shoppe" 527 Fallowfield avenue, has just returned from New York, where she spent the past week on an extensive buying trip, adding a large supply of the latest creations in stylish stouts, wearing apparel and juniors wear to the company.

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POISON TAKEN SLOW, BREAKS LAD DOWN

Pittsburgh, April 1.—(United Press)—Heartbroken because one leg was shorter than the other and he school like other boys, Edgar McCullough died at his uncle's home in Carick today from bichloride of mercury poisoning.

The boy took the poison before he left his home in Philadelphia to visit his uncle, Owen Lowe, according to police.

After leaving his mother in Philadelphia, the boy visited his grandmother in Uniontown, and then went to see his uncle. During the trip here and visit the poison was slowly breaking the boy down. The poison had been taken last fall, but Edgar never fully recovered from it.

HAYS CONTINUES AS MOVIE HEAD

New York, April 1.—(United Press)—Will Hays continues official head of the motion picture industry until March, 1928, it was announced following the annual meeting of the Motion Picture Producers and Distributors of America, Inc. His salary is understood to be \$300,000 a year.

"The three-year contract entered into with Will Hays, of March 5, 1922 and which still has a year to run, has been renewed and extended for a further period of three years—until March, 1928," the announcement said.

Twenty-one producers are now members of the association.

BOBBED HAIR BANDIT IN FIRST SHOOTING AFFRAY

New York, April 1.—(United Press)—Brooklyn's bobbed hair bandit participated in her first shooting affray today when she held up Edward Mazza, carrying the payroll of the National Biscuit company.

Mazza was riddled with bullets when he struggled with the girl and male companion and was removed to the hospital in a critical condition. He saved the money he was carrying by his heroic resistance. The Amazon bandit and her companion escaped in an automobile.

INNOVATION; PAY WITHOUT WORK

Buenos Aires, April 1.—(United Press)—Salaries without work—a monetary millennium—came true in the Argentine today.

Under the new pension law, effective this morning, everyone who has worked for 25 years for anyone in any capacity is entitled to toil no more, and to receive the full salary he was earning at the time as a life pension.

RIVER TRAFFIC IS RUNNING SMOOTHLY

River traffic is once more running smoothly, and other than "messing" things up, Lock No. 4 is none the worse for its experience. The locks were opened yesterday at 11:30, but boats did not come through until late last night. Since that time the traffic has been continuous and heavy. The height of the river, according to the river gauge at the Lock, was 29.5 feet at 2 o'clock today.

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Woman Selling 'Coated' Apples Is Closed Up

Health Officer William M. Darby yesterday closed a place of business conducted by an Italian woman at 728 Fallowfield avenue. The woman, who came to CharleROI with her husband from the city of Chicago a short time ago, has been doing a thriving business at the number named. It is alleged that she has been conducting a gambling establishment, selling baskets of candy, on which chances are taken and Mr. Darby said that children of the borough have been in the habit of sticking their fingers in the "sweets" and sampling the same at their pleasure.

Another business diversion of the woman is said to have been the selling to certain school children who attend the movies in the borough, of sneezing and itch powders, causing discomfort and aggravation not only in the school rooms, but in the amusement houses of the borough.

Mr. Darby had some common racket apples, which he picked up from the counter of the woman. These were being sold by her for five cents each, and their appearance is altogether questionable, so questionable, in the opinion of the health officer, that he will have the same examined. They contain some kind of iced coating which will go through a process of analysis at the hands of Chester C. Humphreys, and possibly, state chemists.

Wine Supply Secured In A Raid At Avella-- Accused Admits Guilt

Bennie Cecoto and Frank Mariani of the Meadowlands Coal Company mine No. 3, near Avella, proprietors of boarding houses in that mining community, admitted yesterday, before Judge James I. Brownson, that they were guilty of violations of the liquor law. They had manufactured and sold large quantities of grange wine, which analysis showed contained a high percentage of alcohol. It was also understood that those who secured this wine increased its power by mixing it with "moonshine," and it was said then to have "an awful kick."

These two defendants were among those taken in raids in that section, as a result of a complaint from the superintendent of the coal company that miners, after pay days, became unfit for work. It was certain, superintendent knew that several persons were selling these men a liquor that was intoxicating.

In Cecoto's place were found six barrels of grange wine and nine empty barrels. In Mariani's place were found eight barrels of grange wine, two barrels of raisin mash, and some empty liquor containers. This wine was analyzed and part of it was found to contain 12 per cent of alcohol, and part of it 16 per cent.

Each defendant was sentenced to pay the costs, a fine of \$100 and to undergo imprisonment in the workhouse for five months. If the fine and costs are paid the sentence will be reduced a half.

OPEN UNTIL 9 P. M. UNTIL EASTER

Zelenski's, the Woman's Store that Satisfies Her, 411 McKean avenue, informs its patrons that their store will remain open until 9 o'clock evenings, offering special Easter. Coats, Dresses and Hats at reduced prices. A large assortment always at hand for the stylish stouts and misses.

Madam Rose Zelenski has just returned from the Easter Fashion Show and is giving her special attention and

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OIL COMMITTEE TAKES UP INQUIRY

GENERAL ACQUITTED OF TREASON CHARGE

Munich, April 1.—(United Press).—General Ludendorff was acquitted of treason charge.

Adolf Hitler, one of eight other defendants, was found guilty and sentenced to five years' imprisonment. Troops and special police kept people moving on the streets and broke up all gatherings of two or more, fearful of a nationalist demand. Word that Gen. Ludendorff had been freed was received with enthusiasm.

LOCAL MINERS AT CALIFORNIA TODAY

A large number of local miners left this morning accompanied by the CharleROI Italian band to participate in the celebration of the eight-hour day at California. The big parade will start at 2 o'clock. Among the speakers are the Hon. James T. Heffran and William Feeney, International Representative, U. M. W. A.

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Arrangements For Rail Being Made For Harry F. Sinclair. — Government And Sinclair Attorneys Desire A Speedy Trial

AWAIT SINCLAIR'S WORD

Indicted Yesterday On Ten Counts Charging Contempt of the Senate In His Refusal to Answer Questions Put to Him By Senate Committee

Washington, April 1.—(United Press).—While bail arrangements were being made for Harry F. Sinclair, the Senate Oil committee again took up its inquiry today. Two witnesses who were supposed to know something of the reported dealings of oil interests for the Secretaryship of the Interior at the 1920 Republican National convention were scheduled to take the stand.

R. H. Wilson, once a candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor of Oklahoma, and W. L. Kistler, oil promoter of Tulsa, were scheduled to testify.

Meantime Peyton Gordon, district attorney, awaited some official word from Sinclair, indicted yesterday on ten counts charging contempt of the Senate in his refusal to answer questions put to him by the investigating committee.

A preliminary hearing to set the amount of bail is scheduled before Justice Hitz.

Both the government and the Sinclair attorneys want a speedy trial, and it is possible that it may be begun before criminal proceedings against the principals in the oil scandals are started before a grand jury here a week from Thursday.

Process-servers have as yet been unable to locate William Boyce Thompson, who had charge of finances in the last Republican campaign. Thompson was scheduled to testify today.

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REVENUE MEN TO LOOK INTO RECORDS

Washington, April 1.—(United Press).—Internal revenue bureau investigators today will look into the tax records of a second Mellon company—the Standard Steel Corporation.

Senator James Connors will require into the company's transactions whether any favoritism has been shown the company as a result of its connection with the secretary of the treasury. Mellon is expected to appear upon the request of the revenue bureau for a complete list of the company's building, the Freed-Eisemann, Workrite or Fada circuits. All parts guaranteed by the manufacturer. You can build your set for half the cost of one made at the factory. A. Beck & Hornell. 25312*

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In the second part, or the Olio, Baby Lorraine Albert, "the smallest dancer in the world," demonstrated the coming artist, her steps and stage presence being the "poetry of motion."

Nell McCann and Fred W. Brady made a distinctive hit in their screamer, "In a Wonder Act," the "mind" reading or second-sight seeing of Miss McCann acclaiming that if she doesn't appear at the Davis or some other leading vaudeville theatre, managers will be going amiss. Mr. Brady demonstrated that in him they have the 1924 "black face" artist deluxe, and any time that he wishes to lay aside the duties and coin of the realm involved in the tax collectorship, the stage will bid him welcome.

One of the features, which lent color to the minstrelsy, added refinement, was the double trio from the Monday Musical club and their numbers were well rendered as they were highly appreciated. The personnel consisted of Miss Ethel Barth, Miss Emma Jones, Miss Thelma Tompkins, Mrs. Ethel Metz, Mrs. Blanche Toner, Mrs. Florence Barger.

The "show" was concluded with the farce "Fun in a Hotel or Twelve" and if Johnny Jenkins has these "thousand combs milked," he will have laced fluid sufficient to furnish the community. The character of the farce were well sustained, and these laced were Jack Mer J. C. Connell, William Ludwig, T. Arrigo, J. O. Bechtel, Ellis Murock, T. Bailey, Mrs. Marian Brown, Miss Ruth High and Johnny Jenkins, the latter visualizing the principal character, Felix Green, who was "getting \$12 per annum."

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Bravolette.

A new material, bravolette, is used by a German inventor in the manufacture of safety razors. It looks like ivory, tortoise shell or marble, depending on the manner in which it is manufactured. The advantage of this material lies in the fact that the apparatus cannot rust. There is no need to dry the razor after use, it is sufficient to rinse it. Another advantage is that it is cheaper than razors made of metal.

Strain on Human Body.

In hot weather the human body makes an extraordinary effort to adapt itself to conditions and meet the strain placed upon it. Violent overexertion or great physical effort for a few hours causes the body to throw off some four liters of fluid. In other words, the perspiration secreted in a brief while is greater than the entire blood supply of the body.

Breadfruit.

The breadfruit, with the coconut and banana, furnishes the chief food of the natives of the Pacific islands. That is why we call it "breadfruit," because, for them, it takes the place of bread. Apart from its fruit, the tree itself is a very useful one, for, when beaten out, the inner bark forms a white cloth called tapa cloth.

Pneumonia is "Catching."

Few people realize that pneumonia is one of the most prevalent of communicable diseases. Last year the reported incidence was greater than for any other diseases except influenza, measles and tuberculosis. For the first ten months of this year only 100 cases exceeded pneumonia in prevalence.

The Tasmanian Devil.

The Tasmanian devil (Sarcophilus harrisii) is a creature in size like a dog, in appearance like a bear. It is voracious, powerful, dark-colored animal with a coat of long fur. It kills its prey by biting its throat.

Man's Luck.

Man's luck is a thing that is hard to define. Why, think of the man who just lost his money at the roulette table. He is a man who has just lost his money at the roulette table.

Migratory Habit Still Exists With Americans

A young man in Europe looks forward as a rule to spending his life in the city of his birth and, very likely, in the profession or business pursued by his father. But in the United States for 200 years, a large part of each generation has moved West and created new homes for itself. Nothing could more effectively foster individualism of the type advocated (and typified) by Herbert Hoover.

This migratory habit persists to the present day even when it has lost much of its economic justification. Americans are forever on the move; the man who lives in the house where he was born is almost a curiosity.

The sense of transience thus created leads also to a certain looseness of community organization, and specifically to a toleration of corrupt practice in business and politics. The mayor of your town may be a bootlegger; but after all, since you are thinking seriously of moving to Austin, Tex., next spring, what does it matter?

The departure from the old Americanism which was created so largely by the existence of the frontier, has naturally gone further in the Eastern states than in the West, which is, even today, much closer to pioneer conditions. As regards the career of the young man, for example, New England today resembles France more nearly than the Far West.

Beyond the Mississippi, eyebrows are still raised when young George decides to settle down in old George's business instead of striking out for himself. In most Western communities any healthy man who elects to live on his income without working at something which can himself most unhappily isolated—so much so, indeed, that almost invariably he is forced to flee to New York or Paris. When he does this he finds himself for the first time placed in a society which demands from him a definite degree of sophistication.—New Republic.

No Venomous Snakes on the Isle of Pines

There are no venomous reptiles or insects on the Isle of Pines. There are four varieties of the smaller snakes. The most formidable reptile is the maja—a constrictor. One of the largest known specimens perhaps is the one killed near Nueva Gerona some years ago in a manger while enjoying his siesta after having dined upon a brooding hen and her eggs.

It measured twelve feet in length and was approximately six inches in diameter except through the part distended by the hen. Its skin, cured, looked like the souvenir of some heroic encounter, but the truth is that the noncombative nature of the maja is so ridiculously at variance with his dreadful aspect that his name is applied as a term of contempt to blusterers and swaggerers. Dr. Luz Hernandez in his book, "The Salubrity of the Isle of Pines," recommends the white meat of the maja to his patients.

The lacertilla are represented by a few harmless lizards, a plenty of pretty chameleons and a variety of the iguanas, rarely seen, whose flesh is esteemed as a food. Specimens have been found three feet in length, but its innocuous nature is evident from the fact that it makes a very well-behaved family pet.

Don't Shed Tusks

Among the Indian or Asiatic elephants only the male has the tusks, but they are found on both the male and female of the African species. Sometimes these tusks weigh from 150 to 200 pounds.

The tusks of the elephants are merely projections of the incisors of the upper jaw and are never shed, although they are sometimes broken off. In other words, the tusks are part of the elephant's teeth. However, the milk teeth, which precede the tusks, come out at an early age.

The tusks of the elephant supply the ivory which is so highly esteemed the world over for ornamental purposes.—Detroit News.

From X to O

A colored mammy came into the office of the estate for which she worked to receive her monthly wages. As she could not write, she always made her mark on the receipt—the usual cross. But on this occasion she made a circle.

"What's the matter, Linda?" the man asked. "Why don't you make a cross as usual?"

"Why," Linda explained earnestly, "Ah done got married yesterday and changed mah name."—Dry Goods Economist

Expensively Good

A matter-of-fact father of an embryo poet handed some of the lad's efforts to a distinguished author of verse, and asked for his opinion.

"Well, what's the answer?" queried the successful stockman.

"Alas!" sighed the real poet, "those things are so good. I'm afraid you'll have to support Henry the rest of his life."—Writer's Monthly.

Walking Again

John—I hear Charlie's on his feet again.

Mach—Yes, poor boy, his creditors took his car.—Boys' Magazine.

Scraped It Off

Crimp—Aren't you losing flesh lately? What's the trouble?

Bimp—I bought a safety razor last week.—Boys' Magazine.

Gold in Mission Altar Proves Old Mines Existed

Perhaps the most concrete evidence today, pointing to the reality of the legends of early civilization in the Southwest is the altar of San Xavier mission, constructed at the present time by Catholic sisters for the relief of the sick and needy among the Indians. For several hundred years the mission was a cathedral and it is situated a few miles outside of the city of Tucson, Ariz. The altar is inlaid with virgin gold, and pure gold was beaten into the masonry and decorations of the chancel when it was constructed early in the Seventeenth century.

The records of the mission, which have been carefully kept for generations, show that the gold was brought by Indians from the Canada del Oro, where it was mined under the direction of Spanish priests. In fact, the old trail by which the precious metal was transported on mules' backs still exists and leads directly from the cathedral into Canada del Oro and then loses itself in desert wastes.

The Apaches attacked the mission about one hundred years ago and drove away the priests. For several years the Indian tribes used the building as a stable, but they did not touch the altar of gold. It is believed that they had no interest in it. For their wealth, men are thought to have had, even at that late date, complete information about rich deposits of desert gold.—New York Tribune.

Obtain Paint Remover by Processing Corncobs

Furfural is a liquid which is obtained from the processing of corn cobs. The cobs and water are placed in an autoclave and steam at about 130 pounds pressure is admitted and the mixture is permitted to digest for about two hours, after which the furfural is blown off by steam, condensed and collected. The furfural is then separated from the water by distillation. The yield is about 120 pounds of furfural from one ton of corn cobs, or approximately 6 per cent.

Furfural has an agreeable odor and boils at a temperature above 100 degrees C. Its boiling point is the same as that of turpentine. This makes furfural a much less dangerous substance than some of the solvents that are used in paint and varnish removers. It also obviates the necessity of weighting the solvent with wax, as it evaporates slowly enough to do its work thoroughly. Furthermore, it does not injure the surface underneath. When smeared over a surface it evaporates after a while, but it shows a tendency to form drops. This disadvantage may be removed by the addition of 20 per cent of solvent naphtha. By the addition of wood oil the viscosity of the furfural is increased.—Scientific American.

Whale Fishing

In early days the wooden sailing ships engaged in the whaling industry in southern seas pursued only right whales and sperm whales, or cachalots. The so-called "finners" such as the blue whale, the largest animal in the world; the finner whale, the small fish whale; and the humpback, were all too active and sank too quickly, when killed. But their turn has now come, for the whale gun is a finely-fashioned cannon the harpoon carries a shell, and the body of the whale is kept afloat by inflating it with air through a hose from the harpoon line of the whaler. The rendering is now done in a factory on shore, or in a special large vessel moored in the harbor. Besides the whalebone, which no longer pays well or at all, and the oil, which is graded into qualities as it comes from the blubber the fat of the tongue and kidneys the flesh and bones and the refuse, there remain the dried flesh and bones, which are now also put to commercial use. The fresh flesh is used to make whale meat meal.

Oil Spring of 1629

The first reference to the discovery of petroleum in America is contained in a letter written in 1629 by Joseph de la Roche d'Aillon, a French missionary to the Indians.

He had crossed the Niagara river and made his way southward through western New York into northern Pennsylvania, where he found a spring from which oil flowed.

This oil was highly esteemed by the Indians for medicinal uses, says the Detroit News. The letter of the priest was published in 1632 in Sagard's "Histoire du Canada."

A Demonstration

Pat, a new hired hand in a machine shop, after having been repeatedly warned to keep away from the dangerous machinery, came in contact with a buzz saw. The foreman happened along, saw Pat holding up the bleeding stump of a finger, cried:

"Why, Pat, how did that happen?"

"Ah, sure, sir," said Pat, "I just put me ninger near that saw like this—Ah, he jabbers, there goes another one."—Boys' Magazine.

A Condition

The stern parent was interviewing his daughter's suitor who was asking her hand in matrimony.

"She tells me she loves you," returned the daughter, "but that she is not all. Do you think you can afford to pay for all the little luxuries that she is accustomed to?"

"Why—er—yes—that is, if she'll do without the necessities, I can," replied the young man reflectively.

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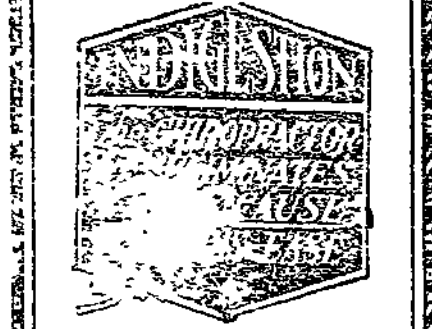
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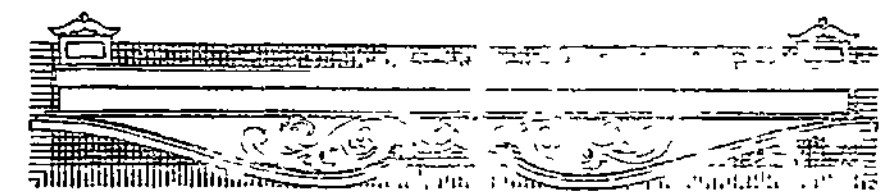
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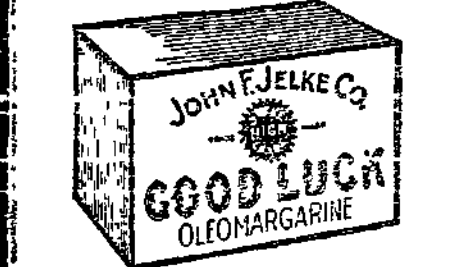
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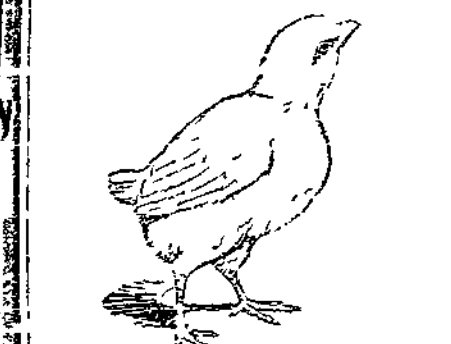
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What Turkish Women Say About Marriage

Few travelers have had the opportunity to learn the circumstances and the views of life characteristic of the secluded women of the Turkish harems that Miss Grace Ellison, the English writer, has enjoyed. She declares that she has never seen an "old maid" in Turkey and does not believe that such a thing exists. Then she goes on:

I have talked with many Turkish brides and have received many confidences; the whole question of marriage in Turkey has always interested me immensely. The first Turkish bride I ever met, long years ago, had never seen her husband before marriage and had detested him from the first. "There was nothing the matter with him," she admitted, "except that I didn't like him." Ultimately she managed to escape, married a man of her own choice and was much more happy with him than she had been with the first.

Another bride told me that as a great favor she was allowed to see her future husband, and that she has regretted it ever since. "The dread of imprudence seems to have robbed life of all its romance," she said.

Yet one more confession: "I peeped through the lattice window to look at him as he walked past," she said. "Quite an unromantic little man, but he was my fate, and I might have got

But at her wedding I found a tall and handsome bridegroom. "What does this mean?" I asked. "What has happened?"

And she answered me calmly: "I must have looked at the wrong man!" —Youth's Companion

Export Figures Show Origin of Shipments

To give shippers a better understanding of the origin of their goods, the United States Department of Commerce is compiling statistics of exports by state of origin. The figures show that the most important exports are from the following states: New York, California, Pennsylvania, and Ohio.

Under the new arrangement, all goods shipped on foreign lines of shipping, for which the duties are paid by the shipper in the form of a bond, will be cleared by the customs at the port of origin. This will save the shipper the expense of clearing the goods at the port of destination.

Merchandise forwarded from the interior to the seaboard for export by common carriers, for air line, or other express agents, and the export duties on prepared by them will in most cases be shown as removed from the goods in the statistical reports.

Real Inducement

Wages and salaries of a ordinary workmen, German women find it especially hard. In a German newspaper last summer there was an advertisement that read like this:

Advertisement—A woman, Berlin, born, under thirty, blond, healthy, attractive, who possesses the entire wardrobe of her husband (including five first class dresses, weight 17 pounds) consisting of three good business suits, two overcoats and five complete sets of underwear, and a number of other things, such as shoes, hats, etc., is offered for sale.

man under sixty with view to in the money. A. H. Love and Fairly. —Los Angeles Times

Too Old to Be Good

Rev. Chapman Andrews, of the Asiatic expedition in China, drew the expedition's account with the American Bankers' company at Peking. When the bank asked for more security, Andrews offered two diamonds worth \$100,000 years old. The bank refused to consider the eggs as collateral and it was necessary to sell the American trade route bills which he had sold for the original cost despite the fact that they had traveled 6,000 miles over camel trails of northern China.

Not Worth the Effort

Bill wanted to slip out of barracks, unofficially, to see his girl, and he went to the sentry and started the case. "Well," said the sentry, "I'll be off duty when you come back so you ought to have the password for tonight. It's 'Indiscreet!'"

"What's that?"

"Indiscreet!"

"I'll stay in barracks," said Bill. —Pathfinder

Makes Night Day

At Mitchell station on Long Island a new light of 5,000,000 candle power has been tried out for night aviation. It illumines the field for a distance so great that houses a mile and a half away are clearly visible. Such a light would enable baseball to be played at night.

Making Money

Mrs. Jones—Did you take a spoonful of that castor oil? You know I promised you five cents if you would. Jimmy—You owe me 50 cents, now. I drank the whole bottle.

Product of Chick Work

The total value of all products produced by boys and girls' club members in 1922 is given at approximately \$8,650,000.

Bicycles Great Peril to Pedestrians in Denmark

Denmark is a flat country, and therefore an incentive to bicycling. As soon as children are out of swaddling clothes in Denmark they are lashed to the handlebars of their parents' bicycles, or strapped in rumble seats, and taken on long trips. Thus bicycling becomes second nature to the Danes.

Danish cities encourage the use of bicycles by constructing special bicycle paths along the roadside so that the bicyclists may not be annoyed by traffic. This gives the bicyclists a false sense of security, so that the motorist in Copenhagen and other Danish towns is constantly being confronted by a serene bicyclist who sails with blissful recklessness directly into the motor-car's path.

The Danes are confirmed wabblers while bicycling, due to their habit of holding the bicycles with only one hand, the other being used to lead dogs, hold large bundles, convey open umbrellas, valises or other impediments, or to restrain the tendency of skirts to rise to the riders' waists. The inventor who evolves a contrivance for holding down the skirts of lady bicyclists should reap a fortune in Copenhagen alone.

Everybody in Copenhagen rides to work on a bicycle every morning, so that the person who ventures on the

te in the afternoon is constantly in peril of being knocked down and having his features enmeshed in a sprocket wheel or tangled in a welter of wire spokes. —K. L. Roberts, in Saturday Evening Post.

George Meredith Ordered All Manuscripts Burned

George Meredith placed no value whatever on the manuscripts of his poems. Once when he said so to Miss Macleod she answered teasingly that it was mock modesty on his part to say such a thing.

To this Meredith merely gave her an instruction: to make a bonfire of manuscripts at the end of the garden. "And he was set on it, too," she told us.

"But," she pleaded, "can't I have some of them as keepsakes?"

"Yes," he answered carelessly "take whatever you like."

She selected several of the precious documents—single sheets on which he had written out his short poems. Miss Macleod and Mr. Elocks and me down into the vegetable garden, and there a little heap of ashes, lay all that remained of manuscripts worth anything.

—Walter S. Swanwick

Unkind

They were very much in love, but at last came the day when they had a quarrel and they parted, each resolved never to see the other again as long as they lived.

Years passed, and they had almost forgotten that little love affair, when one night they came face to face with each other at a dance.

The man felt rather embarrassed, but he went eagerly up to her, nevertheless, and said softly:

"Why, Muriel?"

She looked at him indifferently.

"Let me see," she said, calmly. "Was it you or your brother who used to be an old admirer of mine?"

He was snubbed, but he rose to the occasion.

"I really don't remember," he replied. "Probably my father."

—London Answers.

He'd Done It Before

"Now dear," remarked Mrs. Subbub to her husband, as he was getting ready to go to the city, "I want you to do a little job for me while you are in town today. Will you go to Goose's and get me a house robe?"

"Very well, dear," he replied, and went on his way.

Entering the store some time later, Mr. Subbub gave his order.

"Here are some very pretty ones," said the salesgirl. "What color do you prefer?"

"Doesn't make any difference," was the answer.

"Doesn't make any difference?" echoed the girl. "But don't you think your wife would like a certain color?"

"No, it doesn't make any difference what color or size I get," said Mr. Subbub, sadly. "I shall have to come back tomorrow and have it changed."

—The Saturday Evening Post.

For Office Men

"Sedentary work," said the lecturer, "tends to lessen the endurance."

"In other words," butted in the smart student, "the more one sits the less one can stand."

"Exactly," retorted the lecturer, "and if one lies a great deal one's standing is lost completely."

Truthful

"You've been out with worse-looking fellows than I am, haven't you?" (No answer)

"I say, you've been out with worse-looking fellows than I, haven't you?"

"I heard you the first time. I was just trying to think."

His Excuse

A newsboy took a handful of peanuts from a peanut stand and was arrested for it.

The magistrate demanded:

"I don't know, your honor," the culprit replied, "unless it's 'impersonating an officer.'"

Cruel Punishments of Pupils in Other Days

All the youngsters, whatever others may do, will approve the dismissal of the school teacher who disrobed a six-year-old boy as a punishment, says Girard in the Philadelphia Inquirer. The "cruel and unusual," so to speak, was almost unknown in the public schools.

Dr. J. George Becht, our Pennsylvania state superintendent, can recall when that was not the case.

The little gray schoolhouse—it rarely could afford to be painted red or any other color—was then heated by a big square stove which burned cord wood.

One mode of punishment was to make a boy stand upon a piece of wood on the floor, which required nice balancing and soon became a torture.

That was less punishment, however, than another often adopted. A boy or girl was made to hold a heavy book with outstretched arm.

Try that and see how heavy even the lightest-weight novel becomes in ten minutes.

One form of school punishment has not changed.

It is a common practice in Philadelphia to "keep in" boys and girls after school hours.

Wearing the "foolscap" or standing in a corner with face to the wall is still occasionally used as a corrective.

Doctor Becht can also remember when it was not uncommon for a teacher to compel a boy to bend over and keep his hands on the floor—a form of torture thought out by a real genius for devilry.

At that time a man would attain a reputation for severity of discipline which would make him famous, or rather infamous, over an entire county.

Method Devised to Detect Renewed Eggs

A new deception practiced on the consumers of eggs is now attracting considerable interest from the United States Department of Agriculture which, by the authority of the food and drugs act, insists that the product of the hen when sold as fresh must be fresh and not merely look the part if it is to enter into interstate commerce.

Large quantities of eggs are now preserved by first dipping in hot oil to seal the pores in the shells and are then immediately placed in cold storage. There is no objection to the practice, but recently it has been found that a number of egg concerns have been treating these eggs on removal from storage so as to give them the appearance of having been laid lately.

The treatment to remove the telltale oil gloss consists in "manicuring" the shells with a blast of fine sand or in treating them with a bath in an alkali solution, after which they are dried and rubbed with French chalk or talc.

Chemists of the department have devised a method for detecting eggs which have been treated with oil and then subjected to the restoration process.

Brands Fruits and Nuts

One of the most recent applications of electricity to agriculture is the device which will brand various kinds of fruits and nuts with the grower's trade mark. It operates on current obtained from an ordinary electric lamp socket and is set next to the grading belt in the packing shed. The product to be marked rolls from the belt onto a miniature escalator which carries it over electrically-heated dies. These are kept at such a temperature that they will melt the natural wax in the peel or rind of the fruit and when thus prepared, other dies imprint the desired trade mark. The electrical fruit brander is now being used on oranges, water melons, apples and peaches to prevent substitution of inferior products for advertised brands.

Nothing Serious

A budding doctor gave a youth some excellent crimson lozenges and told him to chew them for the purpose of relieving a cough. In the afternoon he called and administered a gargle. The result startled him.

"My goodness!" he exclaimed, "You are bleeding internally!"

He was so agitated that the patient had to laugh. Upon recovering he explained: "That wasn't blood, doctor; just the crimson lozenge." —Louisville Courier-Journal.

All It Was Worth

A Scotsman who had just been married asked the parson what was the fee.

"Well," was the reply, "there is no fixed fee. Pay what you think it is worth."

Whereupon the bridegroom handed him one shilling. The parson took it, glanced at the bride, and handed back fourpence change.

Fell Into a Trap

"So this fine little baby is a girl?" beamed the rector, as he walked round the baby show.

The proud father presented.

"And this other one—is it of the contrary sex?"

His wife's eyes were upon him, but with no thought of the wrath to come he replied, blithely:

"Yes, sir; she is a girl, too."

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"A man is never older than he feels," declared the ancient dean, bravely.

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KLUX DEMONSTRATION.

Judgment, which is open to adverse criticism, was that used by the Klan, or individual members of the organization, when the peace and tranquility of the neighborhood was disturbed by a demonstration held within the borough limits of, or directly adjacent to, North Charleroi last Friday night.

A demonstration of this character should be made removed from a town, and particularly, in this case, so near an institution such as the Charleroi-Monessen hospital; besides, there are sick people, in homes, and women with overwrought nerves, who are frightened out of their wits when they hear explosives and witness the burning cross. These celebrations are annoying to the town people of North Charleroi, and can just as well be held in some remote place removed from the town where their disquieting effects disturb nobody.

If the Klan want to hold their noisy and fiery demonstrations it would best conserve their interests and they would gain the thanks of the people of North Charleroi, if they will go out into the country where they can demonstrate their loyalty to the country—and in so doing disturb no person, sick or well.

HIGHLY PAID INCOMPETENCE.

The public is under the impression that Archie Roosevelt, becoming convinced of crookedness in the oil companies conducted by Harry F. Sinclair honorably resigned, told why he did so, and thus raised a lively rumpus. But according to Sinclair, this view of the matter is all wrong. Young Mr. Roosevelt is merely a base ingrate who, without any reason, "attempted to assassinate" his employer's character, and who is a hopeless, blundering incompetent into the bargain. Sinclair indignantly points out that he generously took Archie into the business at a salary of \$5000 a year, although he was "equipped with no previous business experience of any value." Then Archie was "tired in one after another of the branches" of business, "each time without success," and his employer became "convinced that, notwithstanding all the opportunities and encouragement given him, he never would and never could make good."

What then? Was he fired? On the contrary, a hopeless incompetent's salary was raised to \$6,000, to \$10,000, and finally to \$15,000 a year. But, instead of being grateful for such marvelous generosity, Archie became a viper that stung the noble bosom that sheltered him, maliciously resigning and then saying things that were "false and ridiculous." Mr. Sinclair seems well satisfied with his own statement of the case, forgetting that curious persons will be inclined to ask just why he rewarded incompetence in this princely fashion, and to wonder whether he calculated that the mere name of Roosevelt was worth more than the price by tending to impart an atmosphere of respectability to questionable methods.

SHREWD COMMENT.

"Benedict Arnold's downfall in American public life," writes Haywood Loun, "might easily have been averted if he had only understood modern Republican technique. She should have issued a statement rebuking the country and the Congress for hysteria and then stood pat." Perhaps there are readers who will regard this utterance as stupid or at least too cryptic to be puzzled out and yet more discerning and pointed comment in a few words would be hard to find. The writer quoted goes on to say with similar brevity and equal point: "It seems to me that the most shocking by-product of the present mess in Washington is the extraordinary cynicism of the conservative newspapers. If I understand the editorial complaints of the Times and the Tribune against the investigating committees, the newspaper writers are contending that a little corruption in high places is nothing to get excited about."

This mention of "Republican technique" in connection with the New York Times tends to convey a

be listed as an independent paper that looks with favor on some of the political policies of the Democratic party. But, perhaps first of all, the Times is conservative, and the conservative usually wants things left as they are. Disturbances like that down at Washington are upsetting and may do damage to vested interests. Better that the business should to some extent control the government. The Times is not involved in full dis-

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

EF DEY DON' STOP TALKIN'
BOUT DE HOL-UP MEN
GITTIN' SO MUCH MONEY
OFFEN FOLKS, FUS' THING
DEY KNOWS DESE HEAM
COLLECTORS OWNE DAT
MAD !!!



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closure. This attitude among conservatives may be in large part unconscious, but its existence is as plain as the nose on Hambone's face.

We read that LaFollette's threat from his sick-bed in Washington—that he would lead a third-party bolt from the Cleveland convention unless candidate and platform are satisfactory has startled Republican leaders and upset their plans. As LaFollette has promised revolt before without results, and as he well knows that his following could not put him into the White House, even if big enough to bring disaster upon the Republicans, his threat is likely to be discounted, although through it he may force something suggested deferential consideration of his advice.

President Coolidge has been invited to go out to Colorado and kill a "lion"—a large predatory cat of the panther variety—which has caused disturbance in the vicinity of the South Platte Canyon. To go and slay the beast, in the spectacular Roosevelt manner, would be good politics in a Presidential year, but probably Mr. Coolidge is not a lover of the chase. Moreover, apart from the disturbances at Washington, he is inevitably too much absorbed in the chase or pursuit of delegates to Cleveland to have time for "lion" hunting in Colorado.



THE OFFICE CAT

THE DOUBLE CROSS.

It was early Spring. And how quickly evenings pass in early Spring. They had been to the theatre, and when they arrived at her home she asked him in for a little while. He had been spending a lot of that little while saying good night, you know, and it had really grown quite late. Then ***

"Aw, just one more," beseechingly.
"No," stubbornly.
"Please," suppliantly.
"I said NO," emphatically.
"Why not?" sadly.

"Well, if you must know—Mother ordered this pastry for her party tomorrow and besides, dear, you'll be sick if you eat any more."
But just the same, you guessed it right at first. He kissed her once more and left.

"Beauty," declares a famous artist, "is born in a painter's brain." And the drug stores put it in little boxes and sell it to the flappers.

NOWADAYS.

One thing about prevailing styles. We can now describe the hat. The flapper nifty is wearing—Skirts are long enough for that.

It is better to have loved a short man than never to have loved a tall.

SATISFACTORY.

"So you want to marry my daughter? What is your financial standing?"
"Well, sir, I've figured out every exemption possible; I've had the best legal advice that money would procure; I've done everything I could to dodge it—and I still find that I cannot escape paying an income tax."
"Take her—she's yours."

A writer of etiquette in a woman's magazine announces, icily, "It is the height of ill breeding for a man to kiss his wife in company." Some old maid wrote that.

There is an old saying that if you shut your mouth and open your eyes, you'll see things that will make you wise.

ALL THE BOYS LIKED HER.

She could cook and wash dishes like a real old-fashioned girl.
She could stay home six nights of the week and never complain.
She could get along without ultra-lengthy skirts until she had worn out her shorter ones.
She could get through the winter



The March foot complaints that come to us like a Lion go out like a Lamb in MENIHAN ARCH-AID SHOES



Every business day this month dozens of winter-weary, golosh-tired feet will come to us for relief.

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She could wear her hair in a strictly sensible and modest fashion.

She could be on time for her engagements.

She could be loyal to her dancing partner whether he came from Walla Walla or Nome, Alaska.

She could remember not to invite three or four fellows to see her the same evening.

She could refrain from relating in detail her conquests of the past summer.

She could forget to remind her companion of the good Scotch she had sampled last night.

She could say "good night" without lingering in the vestibule.

BUT SHE DIDN'T.
And because of that
ALL THE BOYS LIKED HER.

When accidental wealth happens to some people it is worse than accidental death.

A TOAST.

Here's to our friends whom we like to be free with us
In the way of advice—if their counsels agree.

COUPLES WHO WANT

TO BE "UNTIED"

Following are cases of people who have instituted divorce proceedings: Hannah O'Bryan of Canonsburg, has started divorce proceedings against Timothy O'Bryan, whom she charges with indignities to person. They were married June 2, 1904.

Ida K. Bebout of California, in a libel filed against Clarence E. Bebout, charges him with cruel and barbarous treatment. They were married January 31, 1919.

Minnie H. Turner, Monongahela, has filed a suit against Donley Patrick Turner, in which she charges him with infidelity. Mary Drigle is named in the libel.

In the divorce suit of Isaac E. Stone against Anna Stone the respondent has filed her petition for alimony and counsel fees. She asks \$25 a week pending the divorce, \$150 to defray the expense of defending the action and \$300 counsel fees. She denies the charge of adultery.

Expensively Good

A matter-of-fact father of an embryo poet handed some of the lad's

verse, and asked for his opinion.

"Well, what's the answer?" queried the successful stockman.

"Alas!" sighed the real poet, "those things are so good, I'm afraid you'll have to support Henry the rest of his life!"—Writer's Monthly.

Walking Again

John—I hear Charlies on his feet again.

Maeb—Yes, poor boy, his creditors took his car.—Bors Magazine.

Grand Canyon Supplied

With Water by Train

"Water, water, everywhere, nor any drop to drink." This famous expression of Coleridge describes quite accurately the situation at Grand Canyon, where an abundance of clear water may be seen rushing down the Colorado river in the depths of the canyon, but beyond reach of visitors and residents of the village itself.

All the water used at the canyon is hauled in by the Santa Fe, and is obtained from Jack Smith and Flagstaff springs, which are about nineteen miles north of Flagstaff, Ariz. This cold spring water has its origin in the snows at the top of the San Francisco peaks, and is absolutely free from contamination. It is carried from the springs to a 50,000,000-gallon reservoir about seven miles north of Flagstaff, whence it is conveyed by pipe lines to the station. Steel tank cars of 10,000-gallon capacity each are used in transporting the water from Flagstaff to the canyon, the ordinary needs requiring ten carloads of water daily.

This means that the Santa Fe hauls approximately 100,000 gallons of fresh spring water from Flagstaff to Grand Canyon, a distance of 90 miles, each day.

Numerous investigations and surveys have been conducted with a view to utilizing the clear water so abundantly available at the bottom of the canyon, but so far no feasible method of doing this has been found.—Santa Fe Magazine.

Roads Built 2,000 Years

The Roman empire was intersected by roads, constructed principally between the Second and Fourth centuries after Christ. These highways varied in width from eight to fifteen feet, and were almost universally built in straight lines without regard to grade, probably because the use of beasts of burden as the chief means of transport made the preservation of the level an affair of minor importance. Soldiers, slaves and criminals were employed in the construction of these highways, the durability of which is shown by the fact that in some cases, they have sustained the traffic of 2,000 years without material injury.

The Roman forum is said to have been the point of convergence of 24 roads, which, with branches, had a total length of 52,904 Roman miles. The Romans are said to have learned the art of road building from the Carthaginians.—Adventure Magazine.

Black and Green Tea

The difference lies in the process of curing. All varieties of the plant can be made into either green or black tea, but some varieties are better suited for making one or the other. In the

picked young and tender leaves are subjected to live steam or heated air, or are placed in contact with a hot surface which destroys the oxidizing properties in the leaf. After rolling and drying, the cured product gives a green or greenish yellow infusion. In the manufacture of black tea, the oxidizing process is done during the withering, which lasts from 12 to 24 hours, and is continued after the withered tea is rolled by allowing the teas to ferment from two to six days before they are finally dried.



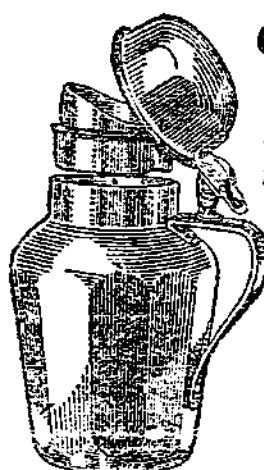
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These Are Facts Regarding Your Easter Business



If you want your share of the Easter business go after it. Don't sit still and watch the other fellow working.

The proper way to go after the business is by newspaper advertising.

Your advertisement in this paper reaches over 2,000 homes every night, and will reach from 8,000 to 10,000 people every day.



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The Personal Side

Charles R. Trew is very ill at his home in 401 Shady avenue.

Vehyl Mink of Monessen spent last evening with friends in Charleroi.

Miss Catherine Leheu of Monessen was a caller in Charleroi last evening.

Regis Scully of Pittsburgh visited among friends in Charleroi Sunday.

Albert Protin of this place was a business caller in Allenport yesterday.

Mrs. Mary Riley is confined to her home in McKean avenue on account of illness.

Lloyd G. Wagner of McKean avenue spent yesterday, visiting in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. M. M. Roth of Fallowfield avenue is a social and business caller in Pittsburgh today.

Fred Clerihue of Pittsburgh, formerly of this place, is a business and social caller in Charleroi today.

Mrs. Harry Crytzer of Crest avenue visited with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Steel of Monongahela last evening.

Miss Marie Quero and Carlo Prati, both of this place, were issued a marriage license in Washington yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Scott of Washington are spending the day at the home of Miss Emma Parks of Fallowfield avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Andrews of Maple Creek are the parents of a 9-pound daughter, born Saturday morning, March 30.

Dr. Keith Campbell is confined to his home in Fallowfield avenue on account of illness. Dr. Campbell has been ill for the past week.

Mrs. Joseph Brown of Vestaburg has returned to her home after an enjoyable visit with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Brown of Seventh street.

Mrs. Richard Thebom and son Richard, who have been confined to their home in Eighth street with an attack of grip, are somewhat improved.

Mrs. Mary Kawelkewics, sons Cooney and Steve, Mrs. August Fronk, Mrs. George Konick, Miss Pearl Fisher and Benny Kline spent Sunday in Arnold City.

Miss Emma Horvath of this place motored to Pittsburgh Sunday and visited her brother Steve, who is a patient in the Marine hospital. While in that city she also spent a short time at the home of Mrs. J. D. Cyther of that place.

Mr. and Mrs. William McBride of Crest avenue left this morning for Beaver Falls, where they were called on account of the death of Mrs. McBride's brother, Owen Hallinean, aged 49, who died yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

We have the fertilizers and lines which you need for your garden. R. C. Mountser, 314 McKean Ave. 253f

Gravel. Gravel is the name given to aggregations of water-worn and rounded fragments of rock, varying from the size of a pea to that of a walnut. When the fragments are smaller than this the deposit is sand; when larger, it is called shingle. Gravel deposits are formed by the action of running water, and are usually limited in size, occurring with more extensive strata of sand.

Dead Sea Fruit. The apple of Sodom is the familiar name of a species of yellow fruit which grows on the borders of the Dead sea. It is extremely beautiful to the eye, but bitter to the taste and full of small black grains, not unlike ashes. This apple is often referred to as the "Dead sea fruit," and the expression used as a metaphor for hollow, unsatisfactory pleasures.

Olive Growing. The region in which the olive may be successfully grown for commercial production of fruit in the United States is not so great as for most frost-hardy fruits. Commercial olive growing has been confined to portions of California and Arizona, although the trees will live and bear some fruit in portions of all of the southern states of this country.

How Shot Are Made. Shot are made by running molten lead combined with a little arsenic through a sieve or by pouring it from a ladle with a serrated edge from a high tower into water at the bottom. The stream of metal breaks into strips which become spherical.

Pocahontas. The real name of Pocahontas was Matoaka. Pocahontas is a verbal adjective, meaning he or she is playful. This nickname was used by Pocahontas' father, Powhatan, in speaking with the Virginia colonists.

U. S. Coast Trade Big. The great length of our sea and lake coasts, the number of good harbors and the fact that most of the coast region of the United States has been settled makes the coast trade of this country the most extensive in the world.

In Society's Realm

The members of the Cino Cent club will hold their regular bi-monthly meeting at the home of Miss Alice Craig of Shady avenue, Thursday evening, April 5. A delightful evening is being planned.

Miss Mary Berryman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Berryman of Lincoln avenue, will return to Smith college, Northampton, Mass., this evening, to resume her studies, following a two weeks' Easter vacation spent with her parents.

At the home of Mrs. H. N. Wagner of Meadow avenue the Sewing Circle of St. Jerome's Catholic church will hold its regular bi-monthly meeting this evening. Mrs. T. C. Dillon will be the assistant hostess.

Miss Julia Bertsche of Washington avenue entertained the members of the U. N. I. club at her home with a good attendance, last evening. After a social session and playing various games the hostess, assisted by her sister, Mrs. Loretta Lindauer, served a dainty luncheon. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Della Fellows, Monday, April 14.

The teachers of the Fifth Street school building were delightfully entertained at the home of Miss Mary Welch of Lookout avenue Saturday afternoon. The time was spent in games and music and Miss Evelyn Warrenford entertained with several excellent readings. A dainty luncheon was served by the hostess assisted by her sister, Miss Edna Welch.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kurjuweit of First street, about thirty of their friends assembled to celebrate the birthday anniversary of the hostess. Her surprise was indeed great, when, with a few well-chosen remarks, she was presented with an electric "boudoir lamp" in the shape of a "Kewpie doll" as a sort of an "April fool." At about ten o'clock some of the ladies took possession of the kitchen and served a bountiful lunch. The hostess proved herself equal to the occasion, by the spontaneous manner in which she entertained—not one moment did she allow to lag. Being quite a vocalist, her guests enjoyed an excellent musical treat. The surprise of the evening, however, was not complete until just as the guests were about to depart, the genial hostess was presented with a large beautiful table lamp, a token of the esteem in which she is held by her many friends. At a late hour, the guests departed, wishing that by the aid of the two lamps Mrs. Kurjuweit might be able to better see her way through life and steer clear of all its rough places.

THE POTOMAC RAGING
MAKES PEOPLE HOMELESS

Baltimore, Md., April 1—(United Press)—2,000 people in the town of Jittmiller, Garrett county, Maryland, about 40 miles from Cumberland, were reported homeless today without food and heat and cut off from communication as a result of the Potomac river flood.

For Hot Weather. Recording thermometers for registering maximum temperatures up to 150 degrees Fahrenheit are in use at some of the United States weather bureau stations in the desert regions of southeast California.

Just So. Jud Tunkins says that a man who loses a hundred thousand dollars on a horse race generally isn't as honest-to-goodness unlucky as the one who couldn't afford to bet but two.

Whistling Man Harmless. "De man dat whistles all de time," said Uncle Eben, "is less worry dan de one who talks constantly, 'cause you knows at de start he ain' tryin' to make sense."

How the Other Half Lives. Half of the world is said to be engaged in agricultural pursuits. The farmer contends that this is how the other half lives.—Fl. Wayne News-Sentinel.

Don't Give Them Nitrogen. It has been found that the house-fly, whose term of life is commonly believed to be about six weeks, can live twice as long if its food contains nitrogen.

Removes Obstruction. If a child should put a pea or a bean up in his nose, a little cayenne pepper on his upper lip will cause him to sneeze and thus remove the obstruction.

In Love Again.

In love he feels like a new man. "Whereas he's simply the old one revamped!"—Wayside Tales.

Want. Wants awaken intellect. To gratify them disciplines intellect. The keener the want the lustier the growth.—Wendell Phillips.

Eat Buns in London Streets. Only city in the world where a man can eat a penny bun in the street and not attract attention is London.

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THE MOST INEXPENSIVE WAY TO FRESHEN UP AND BEAUTIFY YOUR HOME

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Extension Rods, for extending rods to any length... 20c per section

Bay Window Rods, single 95c, double... \$1.85

Portiere Rods, for small or large Doors, 35c to \$1.00 each

NEW RATES
BY COMPANY

A new schedule of telephone rates affecting certain classes of local service in approximately one hundred exchanges in Pennsylvania and making several changes in long distance rates, was filed with the Public Service Commission at Harrisburg today by the Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania to become effective May 1. Following are the new rates for Charleroi:

	new	old
Individual business...	\$5.50	\$5.00
Two-party business...	\$4.75	\$4.50
Individual Residence...	\$3.25	\$3.25
Two-party residence...	\$2.75	\$2.75
Four-party residence...	\$2.25	\$2.25

The new rates provide a charge of \$4 for a new installation of a business telephone instead of \$3.50, as at present. The rate for a new installation of a residence telephone will not be changed, nor will that for "left in" stations, \$1.50, where a telephone left by one subscriber is taken over by another moving in.

Where telephone service has been denied for non-payment of bills, there will be a restoration of service charge of \$1 under the new schedule, a measure which telephone officials believe will decrease the cost of collections.

Enclosed with his April 1 bill each Bell subscriber in Pennsylvania will be a notice stating to what extent the new rate will affect his service. In addition the complete schedules as filed with the Public Service Commission will be on file in all of the business offices of the telephone company.

LIQUOR KILLS FIFTEEN
IN ALLEGHENY COUNTY

Pittsburgh, April 1—(United Press)—Poison liquor was directly responsible for 15 deaths in Allegheny county during the month of March, according to a report of the coroner made public here today.

YOUR LOVED ONES

Who have passed over the Dark River may be honored by the erection of a Monument or Marker at reasonable cost, in either the best Marble or Granite, of which we have a large stock of finished monuments and markers for you to select from. Make your selection early so you can have your graves marked for Decoration Day. Cemetery Memorials of every description designed, executed and erected in any cemetery.

M. T. CROWLEY

MARBLE AND GRANITE MEMORIALS
325 MCKEAN AVE., CHARLEROI, PA.JACK ZIVIC TO FIGHT
RAY MITCHELL

Pittsburgh, April 1—(United Press)—Ray Mitchell, Philadelphia lightweight and Jack Zivic, local boxer, have been matched for a ten round bout here on April 7.

Assuming the Blame

A school presided over by a very harsh and bad-tempered teacher had a visit one afternoon from the bishop of the diocese.

The bishop, a genial soul, called before him a white-faced archbishop who was very much bowed and depressed by an undeserved punishment he had received that morning.

"My boy," said the bishop, in eloquent tones, "who made this great and glorious earth of ours, and set the sun, moon and stars in the wonderful firmament?"

The white-faced boy began to blubber. "I did," he said, "but I won't do it again."

Great Help to Him

A canvasser was selling tickets for a raffle, the proceeds of which were to be devoted to a charitable object. He went all around the village, and at last he called at the shop of one Mark Sturdy, the butcher.

He needed some persuasion, but at last the old man went so far as to ask what the prize was.

"It is a magnificent encyclopedia," replied the canvasser. "Very useful indeed, and absolutely the finest work of its kind on the market."

"Oh," said old Mark. "I must have a couple of these tickets for my son, Sam. He's a great cyclist."

The Humorous Farmer. The summer boarder's brand of alleged humor was very tiresome, more than the old farmer had contracted for when he quoted rates. Cracks at everything pertaining to rural life were becoming monotonous. The grizzled agriculturist was about due for a come-back when the summer boarder hailed him from the edge of a patch of swampy woods.

"If I am bitten by a squirrel," asked the facetious one, "will I go nuts?"

"No," responded the farmer grimly. "And if you are bitten by a frog you won't croak."

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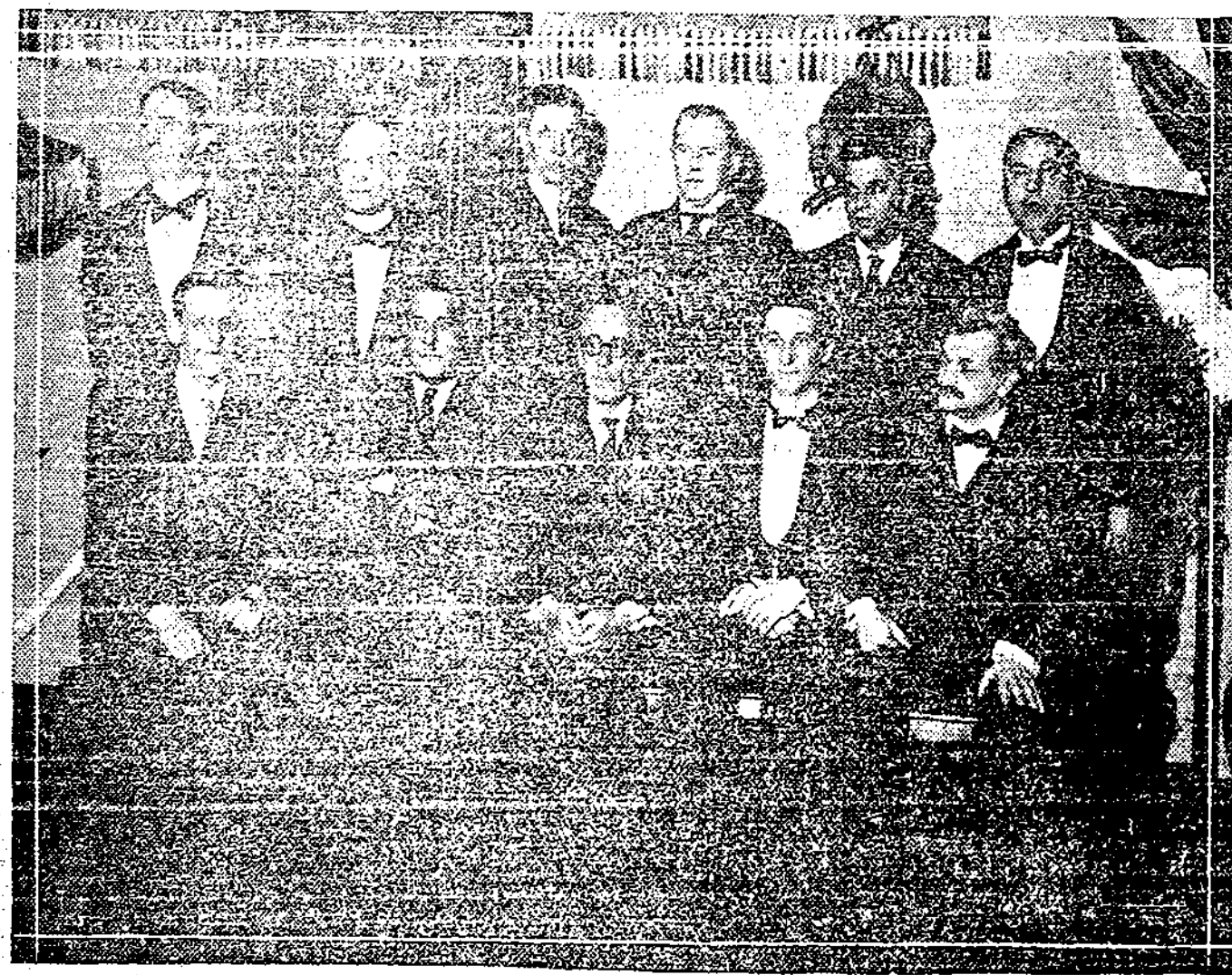
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Group of chess masters, who recently took part in the International Chess Tourney, New York City, for the world's title held up to that time by Jose Capablanca, of Cuba. Left to right, sitting: Mr. F. D. Yates, of England; Jose Capablanca, of Cuba; David Janowski, of France; Ed. Lasker, of Chicago, representing America; and Dr. Emanuel Lasker, of Berlin, world's champion for 27 years until defeated by Capablanca. Standing: Frank Marshall, U. S. Champion; Dr. S. Tashchew, of Austria; Geza Maroczy, of Hungary; Alexander Alekhine, of Russia; Richard Reti, of Czechoslovakia, and E. Bogoljubow, of Latvia.

THIS STATE LEADS IN RECRUITING

Pennsylvania led all states in the number of recruits enlisting in the Marine Corps, according to statistics furnished the Marine Corps Recruiting Station, Pittsburgh, Pa., by headquarters, Washington, D. C. The Keystone State during the year just ended, contributed 617 to the Corps. New York was next with 609, and Ohio third with 370. Illinois was a close fourth with 369, and Missouri and Massachusetts with 289 and 285 respectively were next. Only two men from Nevada made the list last year. Room 3, Majestic Building, 25112-24

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Device to Facilitate Instruction in Writing

Electrograph is the name of an instrument invented in Spain to facilitate instruction in writing in schools. The apparatus is designed to educate the hand to move in accordance with the will. First of all, metallic sheets are cut in such manner as to afford graphic designs most difficult for the untrained muscles--angles, loops, straight lines, crooked lines, vertical and horizontal lines, etc. The sheets, when used by the child, must be so arranged that they may easily be brought together or separated, as desired; and this is necessary also in order to make the lesson difficult or easy, as desired by the instructor. These sheets, consequently, are fastened down with screws so peculiarly made that a certain pressure may cause them to give a bit to one side or the other. Under the desk is an electric bell connected with the sheets above by a copper wire. Below these, and entirely isolated, is another system of sheets. The child is brought before the instrument and told to place his paper between the free spaces of the sheets, mark his outline and then punch a key. This contact will open the electric current and make the bell ring. If the pressure he exerts does not make the metallic outline precisely cover the one on his penciled paper, the bell below rings, giving immediate notice of his error. The child enjoys the "game," and is stimulated to make his loop or curve exactly match that of the metallic sheet.

Sneeze Greeted in Many Ways in Various Places

"A vos souhaits!" (God bless you!) Now is the season when you hear the expression very frequently. With these words we apostrophize one who sneezes.

Among the Indian tribes of North America, we understand, a polite question is elicited by the sneeze of one's companion: "Who calls me?" When an Eskimo sneezes he says to himself: "Come back to me!" for popular belief has it that the sneeze indicates an escape or flight of the soul.

In the British East Indies it is also believed that part of the soul flies forth at each sneeze; and when the natives hear a friend sneeze, they say: "God protect you!" to which the sneezer's response should be: "And you likewise!" The Siamese believe that a person sneezes because God, turning the pages of the Domesday Book, has paused at his name.

In Portugal, when anyone sneezes, you raise your hat. The Irish and the Russians, like the Hindus, exclaim: "God protect you!" The Italians say: "Felicita!"

As for the English, they don't say anything at all, but they immediately take precautions against a cold in the head, of which the sneeze is supposed to be a warning.--Le Petit Parisien.

A River of Romance

What a stream of romance and story the Missouri river has been! This wonderful river with its broad stretches of lake and bluff, its bird-haunted islands and bayous, its changing moods, its varying climes and vegetation, its Indian and white populations, its song and story, has built itself into our national structure, and the end is not yet.

The story of the Mississippi has not yet been written. It is liquid romance. It has been flowing down this central valley as long as water has flowed anywhere on this continent. The geologist speaks of it as "barry with an tiquity." And it will flow here when the last man has vanished from the scene of desolation, and so long as water can flow on a parched and desolate globe.--Indianapolis Journal.

Hunting Cheeta

For short distances the cheeta is supposed to be the swiftest quadruped. However, it is not possible to ascribe the honor definitely to any particular animal. The cheeta, which is found in Asia and Africa, is a large tropical cat, slender of body and limb. It is from three to four feet long and of a pale, tawny color, marked with numerous dark spots on its sides and back and almost white beneath. It resembles the leopard, and is often called the hunting leopard. The animal resembles the dog in docility. Its fur is not sleek like that of typical cats. It has a long tail, which is somewhat bushy at the end.

Don't Worry.

Eight-tenths of the misgivings and worries are due to something said, and eight-tenths of the saying is unnecessary.

Just Like That!

In moral reform, all men are this way: They say: "We don't mind your making experiments, just so you don't make 'em on us."

Coal in All Gothic Tongues.

The name coal is a word common to all languages of the Gothic stock, and is probably allied to the Latin "calere," which means "to be hot."

To Protect Stored Fruit.

A wrapping paper chemically treated with bordeaux mixture is now being used to protect fruit from fungus infection during the storage period.

A Bit Early.

He--"Suppose it would be quite improper for me to kiss you on such a short acquaintance." She--"Yes, but it's quite early in the evening yet."

What Telephone May Herald.

Love, hate, success, failure; abuse, sympathy; commands, pleas; victory, defeat; happiness, sorrow--the telephone well may herald any of them.

Beasts is Right.

There is, here and there, a man who boasts that he says what he thinks, but most folks rejoice that they are able to restrain themselves in time.

WALK ON THE LEFT SIDE

Harrisburg, April 1--The first fine Spring days have brought the usual heavy toll of highway accidents and the Pennsylvania Motor Federation is out with a renewed appeal to pedestrians, in the interest of their own safety, to walk on the left hand side of highways, facing the motor vehicle traffic.

Secretaries of some of the 62 clubs comprising the Federation have written asking that signs be placed, especially in the vicinity of schools and churches in rural districts, advising people to walk on the left of the road. Secretary Paul D. Wright of the Department of Highways, who has already endorsed the idea, has been asked by the Federation to cooperate in some way to inculcate the habit among pedestrians. All officials familiar with highway accidents, agree that this plan will prevent many serious injuries and deaths.

RADIO TO HURT

SALE OF BOOKS?

New York, April 1. -- (United Press).--Major George Haven Putnam, Civil war veteran, and dean of American publishers, will be eighty years old tomorrow. He sees the radio as the third great invention in his sixty years of publishing to hinder the sale of books.

"Thirty years ago came the automobile and a decade ago the moving picture arrived," the veteran head of the house of G. P. Putnam and Sons told the United Press in an interview. "Book buying is done with luxury money. The automobile and the moving picture diverted this extra money. And now enters the radio, which consumes the time formerly occupied in reading."

"How will the publishing business overcome it?" he was asked.

"We'll have to make books more worth while," was the quick answer. "I don't think books will be broadcast in my time, but it is highly possible in the future. However, the copyright question will have to be settled."

The octogenarian referred to the power of the postoffice department to put a book on the "black list" as an evidence of tyrannical censorship.

"It's nobody's business what a grown-up man or woman wants to read," said the major with brown eyes flashing behind his steel-rimmed glasses. "I am opposed to supervision of publishing--except for children. Give a board of censors power and they are bound to become arbitrary."

He related how a book-seller came to him for counsel when an imported shipment of "Casanova" was seized recently in Boston. "Custom officers confiscated the classic on order from the treasury department," stormed the old soldier from under his shaggy gray beard. "That sort of thing is downright Prussianism. In fact, its darn impertinence!"

"What do Washington officials know about classics, anyway? They seize Boccaccio, Rubelais, and even Shakespeare. These literary gems might not be good for young girls or children, but who are these officials to decide for you or me our morality or reading matter don't know anything about their critical qualifications."

On the subject of restraining influences, the major said he believed the question of prohibition was a statutory matter and not a constitutional one. The veteran publisher refused to talk about sex books.

"I don't care about sex, don't read sex, and don't publish sex. Personally, I like to read biographical volumes. I believe an increasing number of people are interested in worthwhile books. There is undoubtedly a lot of rubbish being published. By rubbish I don't mean books that aren't well-written, but volumes that leave nothing behind."

Major Putnam, who is organizer of the Copyright League, said the thing he was proudest of in his career is the vital part he had in gaining the international copyright law. He declared it was the ambition of his father before him to obtain such an agreement for an English reading bond between Europe and America.

When asked to send the American people a birthday message, the major clicked his feet together. "Tell them," he said with his voice slightly quiver with sincerity, "that an old man and an old soldier says we must abolish war to save civilization and that he stands for an international Family of Friends. What I have tried to do with my books is to help the nations of the world understand each other."

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